Heb.7:25 Wherefore also he is able to save to the uttermost them that draw near unto God thru him, seeing he ever liveth to make intercession for them.

Jude 24 Unto him-who is able to keep you from falling and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory.

THEME:- The Ability of Christ.

INTRO:- Jesus as-an expert.

I. He is able to save.

1. To the uttermost.
The son of the rich Russian.
Wild; sent into the army; worse; debts; prison; asleep in misery; Nicholas in disguise cancels the debt; liberty.
"The blood of Jesus Christ His Son-cleanseth-us from all sin."

2.Except as we limit Him.
a/ by refusing Him admittance.
Rev.3:20 Behold I stand at the door and nock: if any man will hear my voice and open the door, I will come into him, and will sup with him, and he with me."
A learned native of Saxony.
Possessed a picture of X; an athiest; almost persuaded when looking at the picture; persisted in refusing. died that way.
b/ by refusing to carry out His instructions.
c/ by using His help for selfish purposes.
Jas.4:3 Ye have not because ye ask not; ye ask and have not because ye ask amiss, that ye may spend it in your pleasures.

II.He is able to keep.

"He is able to succour them that are tempted",having Himself overcome temptation.

Napoleon's test of a newly ordered coat of mail.
"The whole armor of God" should be put on.

III.
He is able to make perfect.

1. 1John 3:2 Beloved, now are we children of God, and it is n not yet made manifest what we shall be. We know that if he shall be manifest, we shall be like unto him."

Von Dannecker, famous Germon sculptor.
Carved statue of Jesus Christ.
- His little girl's judgment,"He is a great man."
Worked two years more.
Second verdict; " Suffer the little children to come unto me."

2. 2 Cor.3:18 But we all, with unveiled face beholding as in a mirror the glory of the Lord, are transformed into the same image from glory to glory."

Beautiful statue of a Greek slave-girl.well-dressed, tidy, (handsome.
Seen by a ragged and dirty slave girl.
Came next day with clean face.
The next day with clean and mended dress.
Every day some further improvement.
Became a beautiful girl like the original.